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CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT THE VAST AGRICULTURAL AREA OF PALM BEACH COUNTY

Miss Sharon Usher Installed Worthy Advisor Of Rainbows

Installation services for Miss Sharon Usher, newly elected Worthy Advisor of Pahokee Assembly No. 16, Order of Rainbow for Girls was held Sunday, January 15, at 3:00 p. m. in the Masonic Lodge.

The new Worthy Advisor has selected as her theme, "Faith", her song, "He", her flower, rose; her colors, red, white and gold; her motto, "Have faith in your fellow man"; her symbol, cross; her scripture, St. James 2:18: "Yea, a man may say, Thou hast faith, and I have works; shew me thy faith without thy works, and I will shew thee my faith by my works."

Installing officers were Ann Welky, worthy advisor; Sandy Weeks, chaplain; Mrs. Jennie McKinstry, recorder; Lodus Gray, marshal and Pam Urry, musician. Miss Beverly Wilkinson sang, "I Believe", during the installation.

The following officers were installed with their escorts: Worthy Advisor, Sharon Usher-Jimmy Wilson; Worthy Associate Advisor, Carol Bardin-Omar Adams; Charity, Jackie Weeks-Barry Rainer; Hope, Brenda Maxson-Kenny Lasker; Faith, Arista Bell-Mr. Frank Bell; Chaplain, Ellen Gray-Dorrie Graydon; Drill Leader, Connie Mills-Bruce Mills; Recorder, Sandy Weeks and Treasurer, Pam Urry.

Love, Jamie Gibson-Maurice Sullivan; Religion, Kay Mills-Ernest Browning; Nature, Ralena Urry-Tim Gillis; Immortality, Patricia Hoyle-Wayne Jarriel; Fidelity, Donna Lee Collier-Jerry Peacock; Patriotism, Beverly Wilkinson-Lee Dudley; Service, Sue Platt-Allen Webb; Confidential, Observer, Kathy Maxson-Tommy Perry; Outer Observer, Teryl Echols-Dick Tyson; Musician, Jan Unwin-Bill Howard; Choir Director, Debbie Gross-Jack Western.

Choir members are Paulette Mills, Debbie Weeks, Bonnie Chin-Allege, Leslie Errans, Karen Mills, Cindy Weeks, Brenda Browning Rita Shirley, Pam Story and Rosemary Bell. The new Mother Advisor is Mrs. Faye Urry.

Romeos and their escorts were Tim Gillis-Ralena Urry and Dennis Maynor-Carol Bardin. This was the first time the Rainbow Girls had had Romeos but will become an annual affair.

Miss Sharon Usher gave her address as the Worthy Advisor. She said "My installation is based on Faith, but exactly what is Faith? Webster defines faith as: Belief in what is given forth as a revelation of man's relation to God and the infinite; a settled conviction in regard to religion; a system of religious belief; and that which is believed on any subject. Jesus had faith in God when he was crucified and I'd like to say that today I accept this office with faith in the officers and members of this assembly that they will make my term in office one of the best that any Worthy Advisor could ever hope to have.

Following her address, the Worthy Advisor dedicated her term in office to her past Mother Advisor, Marie Hughes, "Mom" Marie, presented the past worthy advisor's pin to Pam Urry and introduced her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Usher. She also said a word of

thanks to her parents and stated that without their help that day couldn't be possible.

Members of the advisory board are James E. Rodgers, chairman; Mrs. Jessie Barnes, secretary; Mrs. Minnie Lee Bell, Mrs. Eva Gillis; Mrs. Sarah Moon, Mrs. Willagene Rodgers, Mrs. Marie Hughes, Mrs. Fay Urry, Mrs. Lillian Funderburk, Noma Norman, C. L. Story, H. A. Funderburk, Mel Paul, Frank Gillis, Mai Millar and H. G. Rodgers.

Equipment Discussion At Coffee Tuesday

"Mechanical Harvesting of Vegetable Crops" will be the topic of Billy Dean, agriculture engineer at the Everglades Experiment Station, at the vegetable growers' "coffee" scheduled for the Elks Club in Pahokee Tuesday, January 24, at 8:00 p. m.

Associate County Agent John H. Causey has announced that G. L. Lanham and Roger Ussery of the Farmers Production Credit Association, will be hosts at the monthly meeting.

Dean is expected to explain the present equipment being used to harvest vegetables and other machines that are still on the drawing boards of agricultural engineers.

Other Experiment Station staff members will be at the session in order to answer questions concerning the present crops that are in the field.

All area growers and their foremen are invited to attend the meeting, Causey said.

Palm Lake Group Training School February 6, 7, 8, 9

The Palm Lake Baptist Association will hold their Central Training School February 6-9, from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. at the First Baptist Church in Lake Worth. The faculty has been enlisted and all are specialists in the age group they will teach.

The host church will provide a dinner each evening for all who make reservations at least one day in advance. Prices for the dinner will be 75 cents for adults and 50 cents for children. Provisions will be made for nursery through junior age children.

Mr., Mrs. John Kautz Married 50 Years

Mr. and Mrs. John Kautz of Canal Point will celebrate their 50th Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, January 22, with an open house at the Everglades Federal Community Room, 323 Bacom Point Road, in Pahokee from 2:00 to 4:00 p. m.

Rev. B. G. Brown C. P. Interim Pastor

Rev. B. G. Brown of the Dunklin Memorial Camp in Indiantown has been selected to serve as interim pastor of the Canal Point Baptist Church. Rev. Brown and his family will live in Indiantown and he will commute to Canal Point each Sunday to deliver his messages at the morning and evening services.

Revival Set February 5 To 10, For Methodists

The Canal Point Methodist Church is planning to hold evangelistic services Sunday, February 5, through Friday, February 10, at 7:30 p. m. each evening. The theme of the week's services will be "Venture In Faith."

Rev. George Carlton, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Haines City, will be the speaker for the meetings. The committees are working on further details for that week and complete plans will be announced later.

Father And Son Night Is Plan For C. P. Lions

The Canal Point Lions Club held their regular meeting Monday night, January 16, with J. W. Repper, president, presiding.

Plans were made for the Father-Son night which will be held Monday, February 6, at 7:00 p. m. Martin Kellenberger, Palm Beach County Sheriff, will be the principal speaker at the meeting. He will explain the Sheriff's Boys' Ranch and show slides of some of the activities which take place there.

Guests at the meeting were Lamar Hooks, Terry Turbeville and Ross Harrington.

Many Relatives At Tillis Funeral

Out-of-town people who attended the funeral services last Thursday, January 12, for Mrs. Jannie (Granny) Tillis were, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jaudon of Zolfo Springs, Mrs. H. L. Jaudon and Roger Jaudon, both of Wauchula, Mrs. Verla Kimbrell of Ocala, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Tillis of Ocala, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Tillis of Fort Myers, and Mrs. Charles Estes and daughter, Woodie, of St. Simon's Island, Georgia, and Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Carr of Brunswick, Georgia.

Lairseys Home From Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Lairsey returned to their home on Sunday from a four-week vacation spent in Sebring and Salt Springs. While in Sebring, they visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lairsey, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Handley, and family in Salt Springs.

South Florida Fair To Have Several Interesting Exhibits

The 4-H and FFA organizations of Palm Beach County will again sponsor livestock shows and competitions for youth at the South Florida Fair and Exposition January 27 through February 4, awarding cash and ribbon awards to winners.

The Palm Beach County 4-H Horse Show, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Mel Penney and superintended by Kent Price, Associate Palm Beach County Agricultural Agent will take place on February 3, and is open to all bona fide 4-H members.

The horses to be shown must be owned by 4-H members or their family for at least 30 days prior to the show and there is a minimum of three entries in each class. Judging will be on the Danish system, with blue, red and white groups of halter and showmanship classes.

Mrs. Ray Feldt is chairman of the Poultry Show, which is open to any boy or girl in South Florida who is carrying out a poultry project and is approved by a County Agricultural Agent or Home Demonstration Agent or FFA advisor.

Birds must be properly leg banded and must consist of cockerels, pullets, cocks and hens and special exhibits may be arranged with the superintendent. The show will

be judged by the Danish system. The competition is divided into Division "A" for cocks and cockerels, hens, pullets, special entries and exhibit incubators. Division "B" will consist of special awards for the best cock, best cockerel, best hen and best pullet.

Mrs. Feldt is also chairman of the rabbit show, which will grant special awards.

Youth entomology exhibits under the chairmanship of Rudy Tomasello is open to any boy or girl from the age of ten to nineteen who is carrying on an entomology project; Palm Beach County 4-H members must have exhibited at the December 1966 achievement day and have received a blue ribbon. The exhibit shall consist of at least twenty five different mounted and named insects, both order and common name will be required. Exhibits will be judged on the quality of the appearance as described USDA Mics. Publication No. 601 entitled "Collection and Preservation of Insects."

The Youth Lamp Exhibits competition is open to any boy or girl between the ages of ten and nineteen, and Palm Beach County 4-H members who have received a blue ribbon at Achievement Day. Exhibits will be judged on quality as described in Circular 1354, "A Good Reading Lamp." Ornamental exhibits will be divided into three parts: potted woody plants, annual plants, including flowering annuals and fruiting vegetable plants, and projects shown as a unit. The plants must be grown by the exhibitor for a period of not less than sixty days or from seeds.

The 4H Club of Palm Beach County will also sponsor demonstrations and a dress revue for which prizes and ribbons will be awarded. The dress revue, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Evelyn Lollies will take place on Saturday, January 28 at 7:00 p. m. on the stage of the Agricultural Building.

B. P. W. Club Holds Regular Meet Tuesday Night

The Business and Professional Women's Club met Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. H. C. Graham with Mrs. Gene McDowell and Mrs. Carolyn Thompson as co-hostesses.

Mrs. Jack Verhulst, civic participation chairman, who had charge of the program, introduced I. Marshall Lair, Pahokee city clerk, who was the guest speaker at the covered dish dinner.

Mrs. Lois Carson was a guest at the meeting with approximately 15 members attending. A discussion was held on the attendance at the district meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club meeting to be held in Vero Beach on Sunday, January 22.

The next meeting, which will be a business meeting, will be held at the home of Mrs. Allie Okie on Tuesday, February 7.

Canal Point Garden Club Met Thursday

The annual pot-luck dinner at Point was held Thursday night, at the Community Building in Canal Point January 19, by the Canal Point Garden Club with husbands and guests present.

Mrs. G. H. Tucker had a display of ceramic work and gave a talk on "Ceramics" as the program.

Baptist Men's Day Pahokee January 22

Sunday, January 22, will be Baptist Men's Day at the First Baptist Church in Pahokee. Sunday morning the speaker will be J. Allison Banks, Baptist Men's Work president of the Palm-Lake Baptist Association, and a member of the First Baptist Church of Boynton Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Banks both are active members in the Florida Baptist Convention and the Southern Baptist Convention.

Sunday evening the session will have a chorus of men from the Pahokee First Baptist Church singing under the direction of Lee Shirley with Elmer Jones at the piano. Mrs. W. M. DuBoise will accompany them at the organ.

Rev. Guthrie Calvert will be the evening speaker and his subject will be "Brill Cream Baptists."



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January 22-23-24

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State Welfare Post Is Yet Unfilled

Tallahassee—Former Rep. Emmett Roberts of Belle Glade met Monday night with Gov. Claude Kirk to discuss Roberts' possible appointment to the \$17,000-a-year post as state welfare director.

Roberts said no decision has been reached but some announcement will be made within the next few days.

J. Hay Stallings of Tampa, chairman of the State Welfare Board, waited in the governor's reception room while Kirk attended the state budget hearings, then sat in on the discussion between Roberts and Kirk.

There have been earlier indications that the board has offered Roberts the position which was left vacant by the death of former director Frank Craft in 1965.

The board was reported on the verge of naming Roberts late last year but postponed naming a director after former Gov. Haydon Burns announced he was nominating ex-Sen. Robert Williams of Graceville.

Rev. and Mrs. Edward F. Norton have as their guests, her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Fuller, of Denver, Colorado.

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Helen Baker Is Married To Bascom Belcher

Mrs. Helen H. Baker of Delmar, Delaware, and Ocean City Maryland, became the bride of Bascom A. Belcher of Pahokee on Tuesday, December 20, at 12 noon, when the wedding ceremony was performed at St. Stephens Methodist Church in Delmar by her pastor, Rev. Robert P. Whitlock.

Musical selections, including "The Lord's Prayer," "At Dawning," "Oh, Perfect Love" and the traditional wedding march were played by Mrs. Barbara Rayne, church organist. The wedding was attended only by invitation to relatives and close friends of the couple.

The bride's daughter, Mrs. June Baker Rawlins, of Seaford, Delaware, served as matron of honor and the groom's older brother, Dr. Robert H. Belcher, professor of chemistry, North Georgia College, branch of the University of Georgia, served as best man.

Mrs. Baker is a native of Delmar, Delaware, and the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Gardner LeBell Hastings. She was formerly librarian of the Delmar Public Library and owner and manager of the summer resort Columbus Villa Hotel, on the boardwalk in Ocean City, Maryland.

Mr. Belcher is a native of Cairo, Georgia, and the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Belcher. He is a research agronomist with the United States Department of Agriculture, Sugar and Sweet Sorghum Investigations, and presently headquartered in Canal Point, in charge of the USDA world reference collection of breeding canes.

In connection with this assignment, he spends six months each year at the USDA Plant Industry Station in Beltsville, Maryland. So, the couple will reside in Washington, D. C., part-time and in Florida part of the time. They are presently making their home at 1720 E. Main Street in Pahokee.

The couple spent their honeymoon on a trip to New York City and on an 11-day Caribbean holiday cruise on the SS United States, trans-Atlantic liner with one-day port calls at Nassau, Panama, Cuzco and St. Thomas, Virgin Islands. Following a series of special events in Delmar and Salisbury, Maryland, they visited his sisters in Cairo, Georgia, enroute to Pahokee.

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LANDOWNERS OF PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT. Notice is hereby given that pursuant to call of the Board of Supervisors of PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT, the annual meeting of the landowners of PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT, for the year 1967, will be held at the office of said District in the Rardin Building at Canal Point, Palm Beach County, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon for the purposes of:

1. Electing one Supervisor for a term of three years.
2. Receiving annual reports and taking such action with respect thereto as the landowners may determine.
3. Transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PAHOKEE DRAINAGE DISTRICT
BY: Clarence W. Knacht, President
Publish: January 20, January 27, 1967.

Rainbows Hold Regular Meeting Jan. 16

The regular meeting of the Order of Rainbow for Girls, Pahokee Assembly 16 met Monday night, January 16, with newly elected Worthy Advisor Sharon Usher, presiding.

A report was given on the money made on the Romeo project with which the Assembly plans to buy a Rainbow Signet. It was also reported that the Christmas candy sale was a complete flop. Anyone wishing to help the Rainbow Girls get rid of the candy may call Debbie Gross, chairman in charge of the candy.

Advisory board members that were not installed Sunday were installed Monday night by past Mother Advisor, Marie Hughes.

They were James Edward Rodgers, Willigent Rodgers, Mel Paul and Henry Green Rodgers.

An announcement was made that all girls who intend to go to the institution of the new assembly for Jupiter are to please notify Sandy Weeks. This institution will be held Saturday, January 28. Past Mother Advisor, Marie Hughes thanked the new Worthy Advisor, Sharon Usher, for dedicating her term to her.

Newly elected Mother Advisor, Faye Urany, announced that a called advisory board meeting would be held Monday night January 23, at 7:30 p.m. at the lodge. All new members of the board are urged to attend the meeting.

ATTEND PLAYHOUSE

Among the people from the Canal Point-Pahokee area who attended the Royal Poinciana Playhouse in Palm Beach Thursday are Mrs. Paul Rardin, Mrs. Claude Shinsky, Mrs. Wiley Tillis, Mrs. M. P. Stanley and Mrs. H. M. McIntosh.

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Elks President Jimmy Vann Visits St. Pete

On Saturday, January 14, St. Petersburg, Lodge No. 1224 was the host lodge for the official visit of State Association President James W. Vann to the Florida West Central District. President Vann was honored guest and principal speaker at the banquet, attended by representatives of the lodges in the district.

Prior to the address, in which President Vann reported on the progress of the State Association program and urged support of the Elks Crippled Children's projects, he was welcomed by the vice-mayor of the City of St. Petersburg, Don Jones, who presented Jimmy with a scroll designating him as an "Honorary Citizen of St. Petersburg" and a key to the city in the form of a tie clasp.

Association vice president, Al Bathellette, was in charge of the program. Among the prominent Elks present were past presidents, W. S. Compton, Fort Myers; Charles I. Campbell, Tampa; and Victor O. Wehle, St. Petersburg.

A dance was held following the banquet. President Vann was accompanied by Mrs. Vann and State Tiler and Mrs. Leon Spooner.

A. M. Sims will go to Lakeland General Hospital on Saturday where he will undergo surgery on Monday and be a patient there for the next week.

Pahokee Garden Club Saw Arbor Day Program

Fifth and sixth grade students at the Pahokee Elementary School, under the direction of Mrs. Sue Mead, presented an Arbor Day program for the Pahokee Garden Club at the school Tuesday.

The Garden Club members and students went outside and under the direction of Mrs. Ruth Meredith, Pahokee Parks Supervisor, and representative of the Garden Club, planted two fish-tail palms and one cypress tree. The boys that planted the trees, with Mrs. Meredith's supervision, were Andre Jones, Kenny Rowlett, Hector Esparza, Kent Wetherington, Mike Thompson and Mike Brown. The trees were planted in accordance with the landscaping plans drawn up by Wayne Hundley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hundley, who is majoring in Landscape Engineering at the University of Florida in Gainesville.

Tommy Shirley, master of ceremonies for the program, introduced Tommy Williams, who quoted two verses from Ecclesiastes pertaining to trees. Miguel Poza, Debbie Mayo and Kit Tucker recited "What Do We Plant When We Plant The Tree?" Leslie Holcombe and Shimer Vorhees gave a short history of Arbor Day.

The fifth and sixth grade students recited the poem "Trees" by Joyce Kilmer, in unison and sang, "This Land Is Your Land."

Roy Smith, Ernest Johnson and Jesse Ayala thanked the Garden Club for the trees and reminded the children present to take care of them. Then spoke on what Arbor Day means to the boys and girls.

Following the program, and planting of the trees, Mrs. Russell Maxson, school librarian, showed a conservation film.

At the conclusion of the program, the Garden Club members went to Mrs. Leo Maxwell's home for the business meeting and luncheon. Mrs. Lloyd Hundley, president, opened the meeting with a conservation prayer.

She reported that Mrs. Jess Elliot and her committee had completed their landscaping project in every detail at Everglades Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Karl Kolstad gave each member a revised copy of the by-laws of the club which she and her committee had completed and had been accepted by the club.

The president, Mrs. Hundley, announced that the nominating committee for the 1967-68 year would be appointed in February. She also announced that she had tickets for the Stuart Flower Show which would be held on Sunday, January 29. Mrs. Hundley also announced that she had brochures for the Bermuda tour, April 21-30, made up by the travel bureau for Garden Clubs. If anyone is interested these brochures may be secured from her.

She also announced that she and Mrs. Martha McIntosh planned to attend the Tropical Short Course to be held January 25, 26, and 27, in Miami.

Mrs. C. L. Shirley, Sr. announced that \$272.50 profit had been made on the fruit cake sale. She thanked everyone for making the sale such a grand success.

Mrs. Harold W. Friend of Wichita, Kansas, was a guest at the meeting. Following the business meeting, the members enjoyed a plant exchange and the luncheon which was prepared by Mrs. Leo Maxwell, Mrs. W. S. Phanner and Mrs. Martha McIntosh. The door prize went to Mrs. Howard Holman.

Hostesses for the February 21 meeting will be Mrs. Bruce Bowe and Mrs. Norman Kennedy.

ARCADIA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Edwina Keen of Arcadia were the weekend guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keen, in Pahokee and visited his brother Ozell Keen, who is a patient at Everglades Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Maxson Attends Training Course

Mrs. Dee E. Maxson, Clerk-Typist with the U. S. Department of Agriculture at the U. S. Sugarcane Field Station, Canal Point, has just returned from New Orleans, La. where she spent a week attending an Administrative Management Training Course. She was one of 77 secretaries, clerks, and administrative assistants assembled in New Orleans, Louisiana, headquarters for the Southern Administrative Division of the Agricultural Research Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Participants in the session underwent intensive training in administrative matters, including Personnel, Procurement of supplies and services, Property records, and Fiscal accounting and control. The purpose of the week-long course was to train the clerks and administrative assistants to assist the officers at different field stations in administrative matters.

Mrs. Maxson reports that although the Big City offered many

opportunities for fun they were kept so busy by the well-organized program that they had very little time to do much sight-seeing.

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ASSETS
Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection \$2,131,132.63

United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed 3,221,918.25

Obligations of States and political subdivisions 506,559.00

Securities of Federal agencies and corporations not guaranteed None

By U. S. S. Other securities 499,906.25

Other loans and discounts Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises 2,713,870.69

Other Assets 136,167.47

Other Assets 2,455.76

TOTAL ASSETS \$9,212,010.05

LIABILITIES
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations \$6,793,472.80

Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations 961,490.31

Deposits of United States Government 82,826.16

Deposits of States and political subdivisions 555,892.67

Certified and officers checks, etc. 33,981.90

TOTAL DEPOSITS \$8,427,663.84

(a) Total demand deposit \$7,321,173.53

(b) Total time and savings deposits \$1,106,490.31

Other liabilities 49,239.36

TOTAL LIABILITIES \$8,476,903.30

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

(c) Common stock—total par value \$ 200,000.00

No. shares authorized 20,000

No. shares outstanding 20,000

Surplus 300,000.00

Undivided profits 235,106.65

TOTAL CAPITAL \$ 735,106.65

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL \$9,212,010.05

MEMORANDA
Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date \$8,250,885.04

Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date 2,863,718.18

Loans as shown in Schedule 7 of "Assets" are after deduction of valuation reserve of 175,915.70

I, Julius T. Moon, Vice President and Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest Julius T. Moon

Directors: Rupert Mock, Martha M. McIntosh, Lewis Friend

State of Florida, County of Palm Beach, ss:

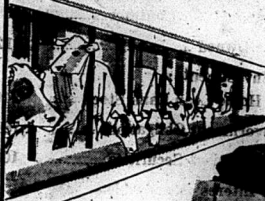
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PERSONAL NEWS NOTES

Elinor Brackin

Social News Editor

Police Chief Charles M. Brown will leave Sunday to attend school at St. Petersburg Junior College through Thursday, January 26.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Holt attended the camp meeting at Dunklin Memorial Camp Friday night in Indiantown.

Mrs. James Weeks is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach where she underwent surgery on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Myers of Maryville, Tennessee, are visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. W. B. Myers, and other friends in the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jett of Harrisville, West Virginia, arrived last Friday for an extended visit with her sister, Miss Jane Plumer, and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Plumer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ron Ter Haar and daughter, Michelle, and Mr. and Mrs. James Batchelor were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wroten and family in Lakeland on Saturday.

Floyd Erickson is a patient at Everglades Memorial Hospital where he underwent surgery on Tuesday.

Miss Sadie Wilson of Miami was the weekend guest of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilson, and other relatives in the area.

Mrs. John Pelham and son, Davey, of Canal Point and her mother, Mrs. C. H. Throp and son, Kenny, of Belle Glade attended the wedding of Miss Connie Hester and Timmy Weaver in Clewiston on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. James Purse and children, Eddie, Diane, Kenneth and Joe, of Eagle Lake were the weekend guests of her sister, Miss Elinor Brackin.

Mrs. A. W. Schell Sr., of Baltimore Maryland, arrived Tuesday to be the guest of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. A. W. Schell, Jr., and family for a couple weeks.

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OFFICE IN REAR OF HOME

Edwin Stuart of Orlando was the guest of his mother, Mrs. C. L. Stuart in Canal Point and his father, C. L. Stuart, who is a patient at Good Samaritan Hospital, during the past weekend.

Mrs. Fannie Todd, who has been a patient at Everglades Memorial Hospital since December 1, was moved to the Convalescent Center of the Palm Beaches in West Palm Beach on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thierry and children of Sarasota were the weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Sturley, and visited Mrs. Shirley, who was a patient at Everglades Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Lila Jaudon of Wauchula was the guest of her brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Tillis, on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rogers attended a District 10 Volunteer Orientation Conference for the American Cancer Society at the Indian Hills Country Club in Fort Pierce on Thursday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Sara Cowart of Wauchula was the overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rardin on Tuesday.

Trustees Of New Baptist College In Meet

The trustees of the new Baptist College met Thursday at the PGA National Golf Club in Palm Beach Gardens to work on the charter for the new institution.

Dr. Jess Moody, chairman of the board of trustees, said that committees were to be appointed to begin selection of a president and architect, and planning for the state-wide campaign for \$1,000,000.

The trustees held their first meeting in Jacksonville last month and Dr. Moody immediately formed a committee to begin work drafting the charter. The committee is composed of Dr. Moody, Dr. Donald Warren of West Palm Beach, The Rev. J. C. Walters, Jr. of Lake Worth, The Rev. Hanks Parker of Miami Springs and Richard M. Gruenwald, executive secretary of the Baptist College Committee.

Dr. Moody said that after the board of trustees approved the charter it will be presented at a

Many Out of Town Folks At Funeral

Among the people from out of town, other than relatives, who attended the funeral services for William S. (Bill) McComb last Friday were Mrs. Florence Summers, Mrs. Myrtle Walker, Mrs. Essie Campbell, Erwin Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Giff, all of Sarasota; Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Keen of Arcadia, Mr. and Mrs. Waller Albright, St. Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Robinson, Sr. of Plant City and Rev. and Mrs. T. C. O'Steen of Fort Myers.

ATLANTA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kautz of Atlanta, Georgia, will be the weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kautz, and attend the 50th anniversary celebration for his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kautz, on Sunday.

Special session of the Florida Baptist Convention. The special session, the first in ten years, is expected to be called this spring by the President of the Convention, Dr. Edgar Cooper of Orlando. Dr. Cooper is also vice chairman of the board of trustees of the college.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1936

ASSETS

First Mortgage Loans	\$23,427,755.86
Loans on Savings Accounts	168,536.60
FHA Title I Improvement Loans	96,441.85
Real Estate Sold On Contract	138,313.72
Real Estate Owned	212,600.14
Cash and Investments:	
Federal Home Loan Bank Stock	240,000.00
U. S. Government Obligations	1,738,510.46
Other Investment Securities	100,875.00
Accrued Interest Receivable—	
Investments	4,416.67
Cash on Hand and in Banks	237,482.35
Office Building and Equipment (Net)	208,164.34
Property Held for Future	
Expansion (Net)	27,632.70
Deferred Charges and Other Assets	197,608.74
	\$26,848,338.93

Liabilities and Capital

Savings Accounts	\$21,883,214.09
Advances from Federal Home	
Loan Bank	2,181,000.00
Loans in Process	91,485.96
Other Liabilities	14,081.22
Estimated Federal Income Tax	42,511.09
Deferred Credits	103,755.63
Specific Reserves	23,890.49
General Reserves:	
Federal Insurance	\$1,222,131.11
Contingencies	827,997.95
Surplus and other Reserves	458,271.39
	\$26,848,338.93

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New FCD Canal To Feed Everglades National Park

Approval for the construction of a third canal designed to carry more water from Palm Beach County to the Everglades National Park through the interior of Conservation Area 3 have been approved by the governing board of the Central and Southern Florida Flood Control District (FCD).

The new canal will run parallel to the old Miami Canal and will cost approximately \$1,676,000, according to Ed Dail, executive director of the FCD from West Palm Beach.

Dail said the federal government has agreed to pay approximately \$1,322,000 of the total cost with the state paying the \$354,000 balance.

Two other canals, previously approved, are now under construction.

The new canal will have a capacity of 1,000 cubic feet of water per second (45,000 gallons per minute).

It will contain large tree islands to benefit deer and other wildlife in times of high water.

VISITING IN MIAMI

Mrs. M. F. George left Wednesday for a visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stalls, in Miami. While there, they will attend the Order of Eastern Star meeting and banquet of the Martha Chapter honoring associate Grand Conductress, Jesse Mae Hicks, before returning to her home in Canal Point on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sims went to Lakeland Tuesday where Mr. Sims underwent a check-up at Watson Clinic.

CLASSIFIED ADS PAY BIG DIVIDENDS



ATTEND PLAYHOUSE

The ladies who attend the Royal Poinciana Playhouse matinee on Wednesdays are Mrs. M. C. Carter, Mrs. L. W. Armstrong, Mrs. W. S. Evans, Mrs. O. R. Bleech, Mrs. Paul S. Mowrer, Mrs. Norman Kennedy, Mrs. Curtis Chase, Mrs. J. G. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. William S. Plumer, Mrs. Joe Tom Boynton, Mrs. Lewis Friend and Mrs. E. C. Johnson.

Florida Sales Tax Is Up 8.1 Per Cent

Tallahassee — Fred O. (Bud) Dickinson, Jr., Comptroller of Florida, today announced that sales and use tax collections for the 1966 calendar year totaled \$292,635,382.

Dickinson said revenue from the tax exceeded calendar year collections for 1965 by nearly \$22 million or 8.1 per cent.

To date fiscal year collections (July-December, 1966) of the tax tally nearly \$138 million. Dickinson said this represents an increase of more than \$9.5 million or 7.4 per cent, over totals for a like period in 1965.

Monthly collections for December 1966, of the sales and use tax, as well as gasoline and wholesale sporting goods taxes, showed definite gains over collections for the same month in 1965 noted Dickinson.

In the major category of sales and use tax, December collections brought the state \$23.9 million. This is an increase of more than one million dollars or 4.39 per cent, over collections for December 1965.

Revenue from Florida's gasoline tax totaled \$13.7 million for December 1966. This represents a gain of \$646,000 or 6.56 per cent, over December 1965 collections.

Currently, fiscal year collections of the gasoline tax total \$80.7 million, which is an increase of nearly \$5 million or 6.5 per cent, over collections for a like period in 1965.

Florida's wholesale sporting goods tax collections for December 1966, tallied \$167,964 for a gain of \$97,821 or 52.5 per cent over collection totals for the same month in 1965.

Fiscal year collections presently total \$749,739—a gain of \$148,601 or 24.76 per cent over total collections for a like period in 1965.

Mrs. Joe Spangler of Canal Point was a surgical patient at Good Samaritan Hospital in West Palm Beach this week.

Prepackaged Items Appeal To Housewives

LAKE ALFRED, FLA. — Mrs. Housewife has made one thing abundantly clear during her numerous trips to the supermarket. She likes prepackaged items.

Being able to buy fruits and vegetables in these "consumer packs" means time saved. This is a big factor to her and her family because it allows her more time for other activities.

The rapid increase in consumer packaging in recent years has coincided with a growing reliance on specialty fruits such as tangerines, Temples, tangelos, Murcott and others by Florida's fresh fruit shippers.

Their "simulated marketing studies" have looked into some of the troubles that can occur when such decay-prone fruits are sold in consumer packs, and hopefully, indicate some possible solutions.

Past studies have shown that the housewife buys more items when they're already packaged for her. This, of course, increases both sales and net returns in produce departments.

However, a shortage of reliable help in retail markets is steadily upping the tendency to package at distribution centers or shipping points.

Thus, re-working these packages becomes uneconomical and at times even impossible. "For this reason," says Dr. William Grierson, a horticulturist at the Citrus Experiment Station, "the importance of decay losses is multiplied by the number of fruit in each of the packages, since one rot means the package has to be discarded or sold at a loss."

It's such losses that the scientists at the Lake Alfred Station are looking to reduce.

Dr. Grierson points out that tests treating the trays used in shrink-film packaging with fungicides were encouraging enough for this study to be continued on an expanded basis.

He also said it was encouraging to note that, the benefits observed from both increased ventilation and the use of fungicides tended to last for a week after the fruits

Low Income Folks Buy More Sweet Corn

Gainesville, Fla. — Customers from low income families buy more sweet corn than shoppers from high income families.

Why? Some of the reasons, according to a Florida agricultural economist, include diet patterns, working habits, ease of preparation, customer expectations of the product, and of course price.

Dr. D. L. Brooke, a researcher with the Florida Agricultural Experiment Stations, checked buying habits of shoppers in grocery stores in and around the Philadelphia area during the past two selling seasons for Florida winter sweet corn.

He found that stores in a low income, factory district "sold more fresh corn per 100 customers" than stores in an area of higher income apartment dwellers, and home owners.

Also, a larger percentage of high income buyers were dissatisfied with the quality of prepackaged corn.

He added that the difference in total buying by income areas may be related to the diet consciousness of the two groups.

High income consumers are normally better educated and less likely to do heavy physical labor. He says they may also be more diet conscious and purchase foods of a lower calorie and starch content.

"It's possible, also, that high income consumers buy more of the higher priced specialty produce items, thus lowering the relative importance of sweet corn."

The UF economist said convenience and visibility were the main reason buyers chose husked, prepackaged corn rather than green ears.

Dr. Brooke said, "Convenience may be more important in low income families because more of the members are likely to be working."

He was removed from the packages and held for further period stimulating "fruit bowl conditions in the home."

Personal

Mrs. Paul Rardin, Mrs. Sara Cowart, Mrs. Lila Jaudon and Mrs. Willey Tillis spent Wednesday in Miami.

ing."

He said low income buyers tend to be more attracted by the ability to see the corn kernels on display. On the other hand high income customers were more likely to "strip back the husks of green ears to see the kernels."

Fifteen percent of the low income buyers associated the film-wrapped corn with quality preservation, according to Brooke, while only nine percent of the higher income customers expected prepackaged corn to have better quality.

Brooke said his study shows that corn storage practices were below par in the stores handling the high income groups. Therefore, during this particular study, high income customers who bought prepackaged corn were more likely to get corn with quality loss than customers in a low income area.

"These customers were more likely, too, to have been disappointed in an earlier purchase. This would account in part for their lower rate of purchase of husked, prepackaged corn," the economist said.

An additional finding of the Florida study was that low income customers were greatly influenced by "special sales."



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Canal Point Baptist Church

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9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Prayer Union
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Msr. Jose Juaristi, Pastor
Sunday Mass—9:00 a. m.
6:30 p. m. in Spanish
Confessions before Mass

The Church Of God Of Prophecy, Pahokee

Rev. S. N. Allen
2500 E. Main St.
10: a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Praising Service
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
7:30 p. m. Tuesday—Bible Study
7:00 p. m. Friday—Children's Service
8:00 p. m. Friday—Youth Service
Everyone welcome. Special music and singing.

First Baptist Church, Canal Point

Rev. James Harrison
SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—B. T. C.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer Service.

The Pahokee Church Of The Nazarene

Rev. W. L. Hightower, Pastor
433 Bacon Point Rd.
Phone 924-7252 P. O. Box 582
SUNDAY SERVICES:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Sunday Worship
6:30 p. m.—Juniors
7:00 p. m.—Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer meeting.
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Glades Baptist Church

Meets in Pahokee Lions Club Building
SUNDAY SCHOOL: 9:45 a. m.
FREACHING: 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.
SUNDAY B. Y. F.: 6:30 p. m.
WED. PRAYER: 7:30 p. m.

Church Of God, Barfield Highway

Pahokee, Fla.
Rev. H. E. Boyette, Minister
Phone 924-5871
SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p. m.—Evangelistic Service
TUESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Youth for Christ Service

Holy Nativity Episcopal Church

Father Paul Thompson
SUNDAY
8:00 A. M.—Holy Communion

Primitive Baptist Church

Woman's Club Building
Pahokee
Elder Van Lightsey, Pastor
Mider J. J. Rutherford, Asst. Pastor
Every 4th Saturday, Night 7:30
Every 4th Sunday 10:00 a. m.

Shirley Circle Met On Tuesday

Mrs. Duncan Padgett was hostess to the Gertrude Shirley Circle of the W. S. C. S. of the Pahokee First Methodist Church Tuesday.

A playlet entitled "The Giver and the Receiver" was presented by Mrs. Hugo Boe and Mrs. Al Lavender. Mrs. Lloyd Hundley, chairman, gave the opening prayer and was in charge of the devotionals with the topic, "Love." Mrs. Harold Friend of Wichita, Kansas, and Mrs. Betty Waddington were visitors at the meeting.

Announcement was made of the dinners to be given by the Vena Mae Schroder circle on Friday, January 17, at the home of Mrs. Louis Davis and on Friday, February 17, at the home of Mrs. Robert C. Hatton.

The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. George Ramey.

First Baptist Church, Pahokee

Guthrie W. Colvard, Pastor
SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
6:45 p. m.—Training Union

First Methodist Church, Pahokee

John A. Briley, Pastor
SUNDAY
9:45 a. m.—Church School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Service

The Methodist Church Canal Point

Edward F. Norton, Pastor
SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:45 p. m.—Evening Worship
TUESDAY:
8:00 p. m.—Woman's Society 1st Tuesday
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

Pahokee Baptist Mission

Rev. Horace Burgner
(Meets at the Pahokee Woman's Club)
SUNDAY:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—B. T. C.
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Midweek Prayer Service

Church Of Christ

125 N. W. Avenue D
Phone WY 6-5867
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SUNDAY SERVICES
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11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
WEDNESDAY:
7:30 p. m.—Bible Study

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, Belle Glade

August Koerber, Pastor
601 W. Lake Rd., Belle Glade
SUNDAY:
Divine Services 11 A. M.
School 9:45 A. M.

South Side Church Of Christ

Belle Glade across from Bowling Alley on Rd. 30
SUNDAY:
10:00 a. m.—Bible Study
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Evening Service
7:30 p. m.—Wed. Bible Study

Pahokee WSCS Circle Met On Tuesday

The Simpson-Lair Circle of the First Methodist Church W. S. C. S. in Pahokee met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ronald Watson, with eleven members and three guests Mrs. Helen Schroder, Mrs. Marjory Carstens and Mrs. Glenn Brower, present.

Mrs. H. J. Anderson read a letter to the circle she received from her grandson, Jimmy Kiemer, about Christmas in Vietnam. He is stationed there with the U. S. Marines.

Mrs. Glenn Brower and Mrs. Ronald Watson presented the program in the form of a playlet entitled, "Two in a Trap."

The February 20 meeting will be at the home of Mrs. H. J. Anderson.

Miriam Circle In Monday Meeting

The Miriam Circle of the First Methodist Church of Pahokee met at the home of Mrs. D. B. Watkins Monday with Mrs. Bruce Bowe, chairman, presiding.

The circle members discussed plans to refinish the two bathrooms upstairs at the church. Work will begin on them within the next week.

Mrs. Glenn Brower presented the program on "The Poor and Our Duty to Them." She read appropriate scripture pertaining to the program.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. John T. Pickett on Monday, February 20.

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Alberta Taylor Circle Has 2 New Members

The Alberta Taylor Circle of the Canal Point Baptist Church W. S. U. met Monday night at the home of Mrs. J. H. Strayer. Mrs. Guy Thompson was in charge of the program, "Literacy Missions in Alaska." She was assisted by Mrs. Charles Brown, Mrs. Milton Cumpston and Mrs. Perry Hall.

Nine members and two new members, Mrs. Perry Hall and Mrs. Martha Huff, were present at the meeting.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Charles Brown, chairman, on Monday, February 20.



Mr. and Mrs. Emil Burdon Perrier of Indian town, announce the birth of a daughter, Janice Elaine, on January 14 weighing 7 lbs. 7 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. William Clyde Johnson of Clewiston announce the birth of a son, Clyde Douglas, on January 16 weighing 7 lbs. 8 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Schell (Jean Platt) of Pahokee and Thailand announce the birth of a son, James Trammel, on Thursday, January 19, weighing 8 lbs. 7 oz. Maternal grandmother is Mrs. Royce Thompson, the former Mrs. J. T. Platt. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Schell, Sr. of Baltimore, Maryland.

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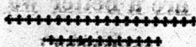
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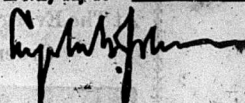
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